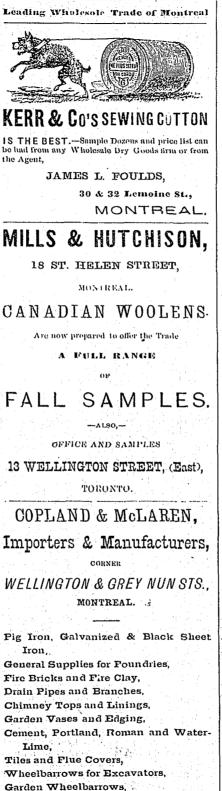
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- Sir Hugh Allan was elected president of the Richelicu and Ontario Navigation Company on the 29th ult, in place of the late John Pratt,

- A by-law granting a bonns of \$90,000 to the fluron and Quebec Railway was carried in Lanark county on Friday.

-Mr. Brydges has been consulting with the St. John, N. B., Board of Trade, as to the best means for promoting the exportation of Western grain from that port.

- It is estimated that there is about \$20,000,-000 in gold coin in circulation in California now, against half that amount at the time of the panic.

- The Bank of Fairport, Rochester, has been compelled to close its doors. The proprietor, Henry Wolcott, went to St. Louis three weeks ago and has not been heard from since.

- The exports from the port of Prescott for the month ending 30th June, amounted to \$23,-190, and for the quarter ending the same time to \$89,265.

— Despite the dullness in the timber trade, the amount of square timber now coming down the Ottawa is largely in excess of the two former years.

— The duties collected at the Inland Revenue Office in Ottawa, on account of excise, for the month ending July 31st, were as follows:— Spirits, \$7,533.21; tobacco, \$2,648.20; total, \$10,181.41.

The Customs duties collected at the Port of Cttawa for the month ending July, 1876, amount to \$15,838.28, for a corresponding period hast year, \$16,355,60, showing a fulling off \$516,32.

- Colborne has become the shipping point for cheese manufactured between Belleville and